

Special Issue

Household Food Purchases and Sustainable Diets

Message from the Guest Editors

Changes in eating patterns are an important step for building sustainable food and agricultural systems. It is essential to understand consumers' interests in those diets, factors that affect their decisions, and how policy can help to move current diets towards more sustainable ones. This Special Issue will comprise papers covering a wide range of aspects related to sustainable food consumption. It will explore—in developed and developing countries—food-purchasing patterns and consumers' interest in food products with sustainable attributes. Therefore, we particularly encourage empirical papers that focus on understanding the demand for sustainable food products, consumers' response to the introduction of new products associated with more sustainable primary production (including both conventional and organic production) processing, transport and packaging, and studies evaluating policies encouraging consumers to adopt sustainable diets (e.g., sustainability labels, marketing, taxes, and subsidies). Furthermore, papers on novel methodologies for sustainability assessment of diets are also highly encouraged.

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